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5000 SERIES ALLOYS WITH IMPROVED

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Customer No.

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Mail Stop Amendment Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

## SUPPLEMENTAL AMENDMENT UNDER 37 C.F.R. §1.111

This Supplemental Amendment is in response to the Office Action dated
December 28, 2006. An Amendment Under 37 C.F.R. §1.111 was filed on today's date.
This supplemental amendment is provided to remove improper language relating to an
RCE. The three months extension of time was paid on today's date as well and therefore
it is not believed that additional fees are presently due.

Amendments to the claims begin on page 2 of this paper.

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